



# Pennsylvania Broilers

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For the Week of June 26 - July 2, 2005

## Pennsylvania Broiler Placements Down 3 Percent from the Previous Week

**Pennsylvania:** Broiler chicks placed in the Commonwealth during the week ending July 2, 2005, were 2,880,000, down 3 percent from the previous week and 3 percent below the corresponding week a year earlier. Placements during the past 9 weeks were 11 percent above one year ago. Settings for broiler chicks were 3,878,000, down 3 percent from the previous week but up 2 percent from the same week a year ago. The current 3-week total of eggs set is 2 percent above the comparable period last year.

**Nineteen States:** Broiler chicks placed in the 19 Selected States were 177,635,000, down slightly from the previous week but up 1 percent from the

corresponding week a year earlier. Placements during the past 9 weeks were 1 percent above one year ago. Settings for broiler chicks were 210,148,000, down 1 percent from the previous week and down slightly from the same week a year ago. The current 3-week total of eggs set is slightly below the comparable period last year.

**Expected Marketings:** Expected marketings, based on placements 7-9 weeks earlier, less mortality allowance, in Pennsylvania for the week ending August 27, 2005, will be 2,858,000, up 12 percent from a year earlier. The 19 States expected marketings should total 172,499,000, 1 percent above the previous year.

### Broilers Placed, Eggs Set, Expected Marketings

Period Covered	Pennsylvania			19 States		
	Number (1,000)	Percent		Number (1,000)	Percent	
		Previous Week	Year Earlier		Previous Week	Year Earlier
<b>Broilers Placed</b>						
Past Week	2,880	97	97	177,635	100	101
Past 9 Weeks	27,373	NA	111	1,598,379	NA	101
<b>Eggs Set</b>						
Past Week	3,878	97	102	210,148	99	100
Past 3 Weeks	11,858	NA	102	637,550	NA	100
<b>Expected Marketings</b>						
Week Ending: Aug 27, 2005	2,858	NA	112	172,499	NA	101

**Poultry Slaughter:** Broiler-fryers slaughtered in Pennsylvania under Federal Inspection during the week ending June 25, 2005, totaled 2,219,000 head with an average live weight of 5.29 pounds.

This publication can be found on the Internet at [www.nass.usda.gov/pa/broiler.htm](http://www.nass.usda.gov/pa/broiler.htm)

### Broiler Eggs Set, 19 Selected States

State	Week Ending					
	May 28 2005	Jun 4 2005	Jun 11 2005	Jun 18 2005	Jun 25 2005	Jul 2 2005
	<i>Thousand</i>	<i>Thousand</i>	<i>Thousand</i>	<i>Thousand</i>	<i>Thousand</i>	<i>Thousand</i>
AL	31,661	31,750	31,786	31,240	30,846	31,374
AR	31,587	31,505	31,343	31,354	30,905	30,301
DE	4,091	4,039	4,110	4,136	4,061	3,798
FL	1,393	1,374	1,382	1,394	1,403	1,342
GA	33,619	33,650	33,397	33,499	33,138	32,342
KY	6,932	6,948	*6,983	*6,901	*6,560	6,999
LA	4,105	4,104	4,105	4,105	4,105	4,042
MD	8,991	9,013	8,996	9,009	9,016	9,021
MS	18,849	18,948	19,069	19,178	18,959	19,191
ND	18,410	18,609	*18,977	18,057	18,590	17,716
OK	6,587	6,526	6,412	6,506	*6,508	6,563
PA	3,973	3,919	3,986	*4,001	*3,979	3,878
SC	5,060	5,232	5,053	5,175	5,065	5,283
TX	15,379	15,389	15,396	15,422	15,257	14,589
VA	6,621	6,512	6,358	6,556	6,495	6,282
CA, MO, TN, & WV	*18,278	*18,242	18,251	18,221	*17,797	17,427
19 State Total	*215,536	*215,760	*215,604	*214,754	*212,684	210,148
Previous Year Total	212,907	212,431	214,186	214,006	212,929	210,618
Pct. of Prev. Year	101	102	101	100	100	100

\* Revised.

### Broiler Chicks Set, 19 Selected States

State	Week Ending					
	May 28 2005	Jun 4 2005	Jun 11 2005	Jun 18 2005	Jun 25 2005	Jul 2 2005
	<i>Thousand</i>	<i>Thousand</i>	<i>Thousand</i>	<i>Thousand</i>	<i>Thousand</i>	<i>Thousand</i>
AL	21,786	21,668	22,017	22,158	21,560	22,088
AR	25,717	25,093	25,012	24,561	*25,430	25,723
DE	5,721	5,693	5,708	5,999	*5,822	5,973
FL	1,526	1,528	1,442	1,536	1,482	1,516
GA	28,208	27,753	27,652	26,911	28,325	26,963
KY	6,375	6,335	*6,182	*6,025	*6,222	5,526
LA	4,197	4,093	3,800	4,134	4,057	3,801
MD	5,184	5,058	5,395	5,009	*5,533	5,412
MS	17,169	17,041	17,033	17,160	17,212	17,248
ND	15,604	15,589	15,594	15,311	15,001	15,713
OK	4,356	4,921	4,939	4,999	5,405	4,761
PA	3,169	3,035	3,005	*2,997	*2,963	2,880
SC	3,299	4,148	3,996	4,927	4,605	4,434
TX	13,053	13,018	12,904	12,937	12,972	12,908
VA	5,271	4,782	5,466	5,455	*5,496	5,101
CA, MO, TN, & WV	16,707	16,998	17,464	*17,451	*16,213	17,588
19 State Total	177,342	176,753	*177,609	*177,570	*178,298	177,635
Previous Year Total	175,708	176,393	177,930	175,598	175,595	176,751
Pct. of Prev. Year	101	100	100	101	102	101

\* Revised.